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Letter from the Editor

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College is a lot like Star Wars.

You merely have to look around to see it: bored students in every classroom closely resemble the robotic aspect of droids. Some robot-like students are entertaining like R2-D2 but others—who resemble C-3P0—can be annoying know-it-alls.

There are two main types of lecturer: nurturing like Obi-wan Kanobi or (more commonly) difficult to understand like Yoda. For some online classes, a modern hologram consists of instructors video taping themselves talking.

The engineers on campus resemble hairless Chewbaccas—they know how to fix things and when they try to explain it to you, it just sounds like gibberish. Actually, this may go for just about anyone in a major that you know practically nothing about.

Daily, we face the battle between good and evil. However, the definition of what is good and evil depends on the student. To some, sleep may be a tactic the Galactic Empire is using to lure students away from their homework, while to others, homework itself is a form of torture the Empire is using to keep us from mug night.

Luckily, we have a few stories to pick you up when the Empire has you down. A Star Wars timeline—because, why not?—is on page 20. If you want to know what space is like from an actual space traveler, check out “WDYTYA” on page 38. Page 8 is where you will find mind-bending movies and a recommended strain to accompany them in “Hazy Hollywood Flicks”

Whichever side you choose and whichever stories you decide to read, I leave you with a friendly farewell:

May the force be with you.

Kiana Koppe

